

(Associated Press)

NEW YORK, March 20—Cotton futures opened steady. March none, May 29.05; July 28.30; October 25.70; December 25.38.

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NEW YORK, March 20—Alabama: Cloudy and cooler tonight. Probably rain in extreme north portion. Friday fair.

RICKARD SAYS HE WAS 'BUNKED' IN FILM DEAL

DOOMED SAILORS DESCRIBE TORTURE

UNDERWOOD LOSES GEORGIA TO MC ADAM IN PRIMARY VOTING

"Native Son" Wins Big Majority of County Unit Delegates

WAS CLEAN FIGHT, BELL DECLARES

Opposition Clever With Klan, Is Retort of Underwood Chief

(Associated Press)
ATLANTA, Ga., March 20—William G. McAdoo's overwhelming victory over Oscar Underwood for the Georgia democratic presidential preference was indicated today when the returns from yesterday's primaries gave McAdoo 322 votes of the 412 that will comprise the state convention, which meets in Atlanta April 23.

Underwood, on the same returns, had 72 convention votes. Miller S. Bell, state campaign manager for McAdoo, in a statement today declared "from start to finish we made a clean fight and ran a clean campaign in keeping with the dignity of the high office of president. We used no question, as to Senator Underwood's ability nor integrity."

"A Georgia democrat is destined for the white house for the first time in the history of the republic and every Georgian has a right to feel proud," he statement concluded.

"We are compelled to admit," read a statement issued by G. C. Carlin, chairman of the national Underwood committee and R. C. Cordon, Georgia Underwood chairman, "that Georgia has been lost to Underwood by the ever work of Mr. McAdoo's forces with the Knights of the Ku Klux Klan."

Victory Overwhelming.
From Rabun Gap to Tybee Light, Georgians yesterday declared their preference for William G. McAdoo for the democratic presidential nomination.

Running in a primary in Georgia, McAdoo overwhelmed his opponent, Oscar Underwood, of Alabama. The former Secretary of the treasury took the lead in the first returns and gradually increased his advantage as additional counties reported. Early in the evening it was evident that the Californian had swept the state as county after county swung into his column.

Atlanta, Macon, Savannah and Augusta, helped to swell the McAdoo majority. He carried his home county of Cobb by a big vote, captured the one county of the late Senator Thomas E. Watson by a small majority.

JOY RIDING AND JAZZ ARE HIT BY DR. SMITH AT 1st METHODIST

Joy riding and jazz were put in an unfavorable light by Dr. Alfred E. Smith in a sermon Wednesday evening at the First Methodist church of Decatur where that minister is leading revival meeting.

The speaker said human beings were made to enjoy the music of the spheres and the joy of divine salvation, and that they were cheating themselves, who were willing to be fooled with the "foolishness, wreckage and disorder of living."

The speaker illustrated this teaching of his discourse by making a mental picture of a careful man driving a splendid car. He said that such a driver kept his hand upon the steering wheel and his eye upon the road in front, and drove rather slowly, except when he knew positively that he was on an open smooth road.

The joy riding driver was described. Such a person might get more thrills than did the careful man, but he was also sure of death or serious accidents if he kept up the practice of joy riding.

GRAPHIC DESCRIPTION IS GIVEN BY PHONE OF CREW'S EXPERIENCE

(Associated Press)
TOKIO, March 20—Graphic descriptions of the emotions of 18 men facing a slow death from suffocation are being received by under-water telephone from survivors trapped in the Japanese navy submarine 43, resting on the sea bottom off Sasbo, according to dispatches today to the naval office here from Sasbo naval base.

Through under-water telephone communication which has been established it has been determined that 21 men and two officers, one of them the commander, perished when the compartment was flooded as a result of the shattering of the conning tower in a collision yesterday with a warship.

Two officers and 16 men are still alive and by means of telephone vivid stories of their sufferings are being received by the warship standing by.

DECATUR BIDS FOR 1925 "FIELD DAY"

A number of the teachers of the Twin City schools and many of their students are planning to attend the Morgan County field day exercises at Hartselle next Friday.

In the past Albany high school and the Morgan County high school have been hot rivals for honors, stated Prof. F. E. Burleson, a member of the executive committee in charge of the field day exercises.

The merchants of Hartselle have offered a cash prize of \$25 to the rural public school bringing the largest number of students to the exercises. In addition to the regular program, the Hartselle concert band of 30 pieces will furnish music for the occasion. Prof. W. W. Benson, superintendent of the Decatur city schools, expects to attend the Hartselle meeting and to make a request that next year the field day exercises be held in Decatur.

STOCKHOLDERS OF CLUB WILL MEET

Stockholders and others interested in the Valley country will meet Friday evening at 7:30 o'clock in the rooms of the Albany-Decatur chamber of commerce. At that time plans will be discussed so that the membership may become familiar with all of the things which already have been accomplished.

It was announced today that Wilburn Loos, of Savannah, Ga., has been obtained to superintend the construction of the club's golf course. He built the course at the Montgomery country club and many other famous links in the South. Members of the club today were congratulating themselves on obtaining his services to personally oversee the work here.

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etc. was as different from jazz, as is perfect order and perfect disorder.

Dr. Smith's text Wednesday night was: "The Grace of Our Lord Jesus Christ, which Brought Salvation, hath appeared to all men, teaching us to live soberly, righteously and Godly in this present world."

The speaker showed there is grace everywhere in nature, but that grace is supremely manifested in Jesus Christ, who is full of grace and truth.

The need of deeper, more sober thinking, was declared to be necessary if deep and reliable lives are to be lived. The importance of righteous dealing among men was stressed, and the scripture command that men must become Godlike, was dwelt upon.

Wednesday afternoon Dr. Smith spoke to an appreciative congregation on "Heaven."

The music at the First Methodist revival, stated Dr. Steele the pastor, is unusually good, and that it is greatly enjoyed by the visiting minister and all who hear it. Dr. Smith is expected to make an address at the Louisville and Nashville shops Friday at noon.

COOLIDGE PLANS TO SPEED LEGISLATION

(Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, March 20—President Coolidge's announced drive to speed up the legislative program will begin tomorrow night when republican house leaders will be his guests at a white house dinner conference. Senate leaders will be summoned later.

Those invited to participate in the discussions tomorrow night are Representative Longworth, the floor leader; Chairman Madden of the appropriations committee; Chairman Snell of the republican steering committee. Mr. Longworth said today he believed congress would be able to adjourn before the June political convention. From now on appropriation bills will be given priority in the house along with the Johnson immigration bill and a resolution to appropriate \$10,000,000 for the German relief.

10,128,478 Bales Was Cotton Crop

(Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, March 20—The total cotton crop was 10,128,478 bales, exclusive of linters, last year as shown today by the census bureau's final ginning report of the season. That includes 15,204 bales, which ginneries estimated would be turned out after the March census.

A crop of 10,081,000 bales was estimated last December by the department of agriculture. The Alabama crop was 586,512 bales. Last year's crop in the United States was 9,762,069 bales.

Jasper Collins to Be Buried Today

Funeral services for Jasper Collins who died Wednesday evening at the family residence on West Market street, will be held this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the city cemetery chapel with interment in the city cemetery. The services will be in charge of Dr. C. C. Davison, pastor of the Decatur Baptist church. The deceased is survived by his widow, one daughter, Mary Jane, and four sons, James, W. H., H. M. and H. W. Collins.

Railway Order to Meet Tonight

The Benefit Association as organized here some weeks ago by E. L. Frank for employees of the railroads at this point, will hold a meeting at the Odd Fellows Hall on Second avenue, Albany this evening at 7:30 o'clock.

Jewelry Robber Charged to Negro

Marvin Harris, a boy, was brought to the Morgan County jail this morning by officer S. J. Percy, of Hartselle and Sheriff Poole admitted the negro to the jail. He is held on a warrant charging him with entering a jewelry store in Hartselle Wednesday night. The negro will await the action of the Morgan County grand jury, due to meet Monday March 31.

FORMER BANDIT TO TESTIFY IN INQUIRY OF HAMON ACTIVITY

Al Jennings Called by Oil Committee Thursday

SINCLAIR AIDE IS HUNTED TODAY

Process Servers Look for G. D. Walberg Without Success

(Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, March 20—Al Jennings, once famous train robber of Oklahoma, is to be summoned to Washington by the oil committee.

In announcing a subpoena for Jennings, Senator Walsh said he would be questioned in connection with the rumor that Jake Hamon, former republican national committeeman from Oklahoma, undertook to put through an oil deal in Chicago in 1920.

WASHINGTON, March 20—The senate oil committee suffered a temporary setback today when it undertook to inquire into a story that Harry F. Sinclair had turned over a large batch of securities to Harry M. Daugherty and Will Hays, former chairman of the republican national committee, to wipe out the deficit of the campaign in 1920.

Process servers reported they so far had been unable to locate G. D. Walberg, former private secretary of Sinclair, who was to have taken the stand today. Mr. Hays has been subpoenaed later and Sinclair probably will be questioned tomorrow.

When before the committee some weeks ago, Walberg testified that Sinclair turned over \$25,000 in Liberty bonds to Mr. Hays. He did not identify the man named and the committee did not follow up his statement.

While the search for Walberg continued, the committee turned its attention to other ramifications of the inquiry.

Former Representative Thomas J. Ryan, of New York, voluntarily took the witness stand to deny that he was the man referred to in records of oil stock transactions made before the committee and Louis F. Bond, the committee's investigator, followed him to explain how the identification had been made.

SOUL SAVING THE TOPIC AT REVIVAL

"And he brought him to Jesus," John 1:35 was the text used in an inspiring sermon by Rev. Gid Higgenbotham at Central Baptist church Wednesday night.

"It is a blessed privilege we have of introducing Jesus. We have something the world does not have. If I had time to speak only three words, they would be 'Win Men Godward.' Let us as Christians do as Andrew, bring our loved ones first, then go out to gather in the lost from all these cities."

Another service was held in the Louisville and Nashville yard Wednesday. Large numbers attended, and much interest was shown. Thursday at noon services will be held at the Hosiery mill.

The song service was concluded last night by a duet, sung by J. H. Elliot and Earnest Ralston.

The song services are growing in interest. The large chorus choir is growing, and doing fine singing, inspiring all who attend the services. Large congregations are attending these services. An appeal was made to all Baptists who had not moved their church letters to make this church their home, by bringing their membership here now.

ELEVEN COMPANIES UNITE IN BIG SUPER TRANSMISSION LINE

Great System Could Be Linked Together Thompson Says

40 STATIONS ARE IN NEW GROUP

Fits In With the Plan of Senator Norris, It Is Declared

(Associated Press)
NEW YORK, March 20—Eleven electric manufacturing companies representing \$315,000,000 of invested capital and serving five eastern states today linked themselves into a cooperative distributing system, to be known as the Coalfield Superior Power company.

The group controls approximately 40 stations, developing 2,000,000 horse power which taps the principal cities of Ohio, Pennsylvania, Virginia, West Virginia and Maryland and serving a population of 7,250,000.

E. S. Thompson, of the American Waterworks and Electric company, is announcing the formation of the system, pointed out that the states included in this became a unit banked on the north by the New England super power system and the Niagara development on the south by the Southern super power system and on the west by the chain of stations in the Chicago district.

Mr. Thompson declared all these easily could be linked into a single group of inter changeable power manufacturing and transporting unit and predicted such an amalgamation within a year.

Thus, he said, the east, from the St. Lawrence river to Montgomery, Alabama, would be ready to hook up with the national super power system advocated by Secretary Hoover.

Bonus Measure to Get Priority

(Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, March 20—Prediction that the bonus bill will be given priority in the senate finance committee was made today by Senator Watson, a republican member of the committee. Senator Watson said it was likely that such a proposition would be made to the committee within a few days and work would be started on the bonus measure possibly next week.

Thompson's Store Has One-Cent Sale

Thompson's Drug store today opened a "One Cent Sale" which the manager explains "is second only to the \$14,000 advertisements appearing for the Cooper-Wells people of the Albany Hosiery Mill." With the values offered there is little wonder that the sale opened with a rush and will continue to be through the remaining two days that it extends.

Robin Hood Film Deserves Support

Robin Hood, as presented in pictures at the Princess theater for the last showing tonight, should be seen by everybody, old and young, first because of the superior acting of all the principals in the cast, and next because of the fine old story it tells in picture form.

Douglas Fairbanks in the role of Robin Hood is far better in that character, than it has been the pleasure of the writer to see in any other picture he has made.

Mr. McRee manager of the theaters here certainly deserves the support of lovers of the silent drama in and around Albany-Decatur when such pictures as Robin Hood and shown.

"Moonshine Mary" Is Convicted in Death.



MARY WAZENIAK

"Moonshine Mary" Wazeniak, of Brookfield, Ill., near Chicago, is the first woman bootlegger convicted of manslaughter for selling poisonous moonshine. The conviction carries an indeterminate sentence of from one year to life. It was found that supposed whiskey she sold contained wood alcohol that caused the death of a man drinker.

INVITATION GIVEN BY TRADE HERE AD

The third of the series of advertisements inviting the rural residents and people from the surrounding towns and territories to come into Albany-Decatur and obtain value for value for their dollar is being carried in today's Daily on another page.

The advertisement is a plea also to the consumer to think the matter over twice before he places his money, earned at a local industry, in an envelop and sends it away to a mail order house. Once sent the money is gone forever and only enlarges a deficit in the pockets of local people. Investments with the local merchants means that you will get the worth of your dollar and that your money will return to you. Patronize the home town merchant and you benefit both the merchant and yourself.

To the people of the rural communities an invitation is extended from the industries, and wholesalers and retailers of the Twin Cities and a welcome awaits you when you get into town.

Weeks Asked About Mexican Arms Sale

(Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, March 20—A resolution, calling upon Secretary Weeks for full information regarding the sale of arms to Mexico was adopted today by the senate.

CENTRAL HIGH BASKET SEASON WAS MOST SUCCESSFUL EVER

Central High, scores indicate, has just closed one of the most successful basketball seasons ever established by the local school. Central was defeated on three occasions but no accredited municipal high school was able to snatch victory from the Central five. The season opened rather inauspiciously with a defeat at the hands of St. Bernard 32-31 but Central came back in the next game with Huntsville high having the heavy total of a 23-18 score. St. Bernard played a return engagement next and lost by the count of 13-7. Town Creek was next on the schedule and lost in a one sided contest by 44 to 5. The Central forwards were one for the first time during the season and the defense could not be penetrated. Huntsville high tackled the high quintet on their home floor for their last appearance on the local schedule and too much Pepper caused a 44-15 jolt. Falkville A. C. brought a good team of tossers and downed Central in a closeup affair 31-28.

The Ryan game followed and for a time the game was very much in doubt, then Laymons and Pepper signaled full steam ahead and the game ended 25-17 in Central's favor.

Danville brought a fighting five but were beaten by a good margin 37-25. The greatest surprise of the season was the defeat handed Jefferson County High of Birmingham. Jeffco presented nothing but a center, Dismukes but he was not able to stop the onslaught. His team counted only six points while Central was amassing 52 owing to the accuracy of Pepper, Laymons and Hurst.

In the district tournament held at Huntsville, Central forced Albertville to go three periods before a final basket was bagged and Central forced out. Three periods extra play in basketball is something very unusual and the Central squad cannot be criticized for the fight they put up. The game ended 32-30.

Central closed the season with a total of 327 points to their credit while their opponents were only able to score 188 times. Pepper, Laymons and Burns stood out as the bright lights of the entire season while McAfee, Hurst and Johnson fought a consistent game the entire schedule. When called upon Kirby and Mitchell were there with the goods. In the earlier part of the season Bloodworth and Tuck saw quite a bit of action and were fit subs wherever placed.

WAS PROMISED LAW TO LEGALIZE FILMS, HE TELLS SENATORS

Light Promoter States Muma and Orr Did Nothing at All

EVER THOUGHT OF A CONSPIRACY

Denies Was Told That Men Had Influence With Daugherty

(Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, March 20—Tex Rickard, fight promoter, told the Daugherty investigating committee today that he got "bunked" when he arranged with Jap Muma, Will A. Orr, and the mysterious Ike Martin to exhibit motion pictures of the Carpenter-Dempsey fight with immunity from prosecution.

"They never did anything at all for their money," Rickard told the committee, adding that Muma had told him he could get a law passed legalizing the showing of the pictures, but failed to do so.

Emphasizing that none of them claimed any influence with Attorney General Daugherty, Rickard maintained that expecting passage of a law to legalize the showing, he went ahead and got fined himself.

Then he found they were not delivering the goods. He revised the contract on a basis which contemplated Orr's influence in fixing it with the New York state board of censorship. Some results were obtained there. Rickard said, and as the contracts finally were revised, he testified, Orr got a little more than \$4,000 for his share and Martin and Muma each got a little more than \$3,000.

"I never thought there was an conspiracy," Rickard said. Senator Wheeler read from the record that \$82,784 had been spent in New York on the fight films, fines and all.

"Why should you give up 15 per cent to Jap Muma and these others?" demanded Senator Wheeler. "I got bunked, that's all."

"Yet you made a second contract with these men?"

"Yes we got afraid of the censorship board of New York and got Orr to work on it and got past the board in August, 1921."

"You don't want to tell us that with your experience that you fell for their story that these men were going to

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Good country roads tend to give country property a town lot value.

ALABAMIANS CONFIDENT HEFLIN WILL PUT MCKENZIE BILL THROUGH COMMITTEE

Senator Heflin, of Alabama, now is faced with responsibilities of an unusual nature. By virtue of his membership on the agricultural committee of the Senate, the task of seeing the McKenzie bill safely through that committee falls upon his shoulders. The people of Alabama, however, are confident that he will continue the splendid work he has already done for the Ford offer and that he will bring in, along with the other members of the committee, a report favoring the bill, which means the acceptance of the offer of Henry Ford for Muscle Shoals.

While Senator Heflin has not been in the Senate many years, his long service in the House has made him ripe in legislative experience. He is thoroughly familiar with the Muscle Shoals project and few men in America are better informed on the problems of agriculture than is Alabama's junior senator. These qualifications will stand him in good stead during the forthcoming fight in the Senate.

Alabamians are looking to him to bring victory in the committee, and are confident that he will do nothing short of that.

ECONOMIC INTERESTS MAY DETERMINE POLITICAL FAITHS

Economic conditions now separate different sections of the country whereas in the past geographical location was the determining factor. The Southern people once stood together, as did the people of the North, those of the Middle West and those of the Far West.

Candidates were spoken of as being "weak" or "strong" in the North, in the South, in the Middle West or in the West.

Now the steel interests, the cotton interests, the wheat interests, the tobacco interests, the railroad systems, etc., are standing for such legislation as will aid their respective interests. These new alignments have given rise to the several "blocs" in the Senate and in the House of Representatives.

Law makers are seldom spoken of as from certain sections of the country, but as representing certain interests.

As long as the people were divided by nothing more compelling than geographical location, they much more easily became divided into just two political parties. There were the conservatives and the progressives in all parts of the country. The party that became to be regarded as progressive drew certain people from all parts of the country, while the stand pat party could count on the conservative element to vote its ticket, especially in the national elections.

There is not necessarily any more danger of corruption in politics under the new regime than under the old. Those who live in a cotton country will always vote for measures calculated to help the cotton industry; those who live in a section of the country where steel and iron are produced will vote to aid those industries, etc.

Owing to the present deplorable condition of the wheat farmers, they have emphasized economic divisions in politics greatly.

The wheat farmers' bloc is one of the largest and most powerful of all the factions in the national Congress.

If the bloc system continues to gather strength—if economic considerations are to have greater and greater influence, the name democrat and republican will become to mean less and less, while the economic division to which voters belong will become to mean more and more.

AMERICAN LOAN TO FRANCE

SAID TO MEAN MUCH

The rise of the French franc is credited to a recent American loan made to the French of \$100,000,000. One day recently the franc was quoted at the low level of 3.42, but in less than a week's time its value had risen to 4.201 1-2. In financial circles it is claimed that what American arms were to France in 1917, American gold is to France in 1924.

For some time past the French franc has been declining rapidly, until many felt, writers state, that the French franc was to keep company with the German mark.

The influence of General Dawes is said to have started things for the betterment of things for the French, and now that it appears France has won a great financial victory that it will be less difficult for a settlement to be made with Germany regarding the war claims of France. Some are taking the view that the rise of the franc is the beginning of the end of bad conditions in Europe.

The Philadelphia Record considers the American loan to the French as very important and significant, that paper saying:

"Unless all signs are false and all indications misleading, this American credit marks the beginning of the most significant swing and the most hopeful turn in Old World affairs since 1918. The world will see in it the beginning of a general and favorable solution of the Central European tangle. If it does not foreshadow the coming of a workable agreement between France and Germany and the start of the long-awaited economic revival in the Old World, then some of the best American financial brains have been misled.

"The occupation of the Ruhr ended one phase of the Franco-German struggle and began another. Here is the beginning of a new phase. There is something more than a mere hope of better days in this pledged credit of \$100,000,000 and the sudden turn in the battle that has so steadily gone against the franc. It's been a long night and the shadows still are heavy; but these seem to be the first faint but sure streaks of dawn."

INDIRECTLY THE OIL SCANDAL HURTS COLONEL THEODORE ROOSEVELT

Colonel Theodore Roosevelt II was mentioned for the republican nomination for governor of New York state until his name became involved in the Teapot Dome scandal. Now it is freely predicted that Colonel Roosevelt may have to retire from his present position as assistant secretary of the navy, and that politically he may never rise higher. The closest Roosevelt has been associated to the Sinclair-Doheny interests is in connection with his order sending marines at the request of Albert B. Fall to clear the Teapot Dome region of squatters; and also his relationship to Archie Roosevelt, his brother, who was paid \$15,000 a year by the oil promoters for doing "practically nothing."

The younger Roosevelt himself admitted that he did little or nothing to earn \$15,000 a year.

Colonel Roosevelt has been asked by some public men to resign office, particularly by Representative Stevenson of South Carolina. He shows no disposition to resign and has struck back vigorously at the South Carolinian. Colonel Roosevelt shows where he entered politics for exactly the same reasons he entered the World war, that he was making about \$100,000 before entering politics and that neither he nor any of his immediate family owned any oil stock at the time the Teapot Dome was released. Roosevelt further testified that he did not know about the lease of the Teapot Dome until it became known to the general public. He has called Representative Stevenson a character assassin, and asked that the South Carolinian be driven from public life. Mr. Stevenson replies by inviting the New York man to go over his Congressional district in South Carolina and let the people in it decide which should leave public life, Stevenson or Roosevelt. Nothing as yet has developed that would implicate Colonel Roosevelt in any wrongdoing. He will have the sympathy of many, but it is doubtful if despite the great name he bears and his honorable war record—unless he should develop some such powers as did his father—the present Theodore Roosevelt ever attains a high place in the councils of the nation.

Was Promised Law to Legalize Films, He Tells Senators

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get a law passed in a few days?" suggested Senator Wheeler.

"They talked as if they could get it through in two weeks."

He added that Muma, Orr and Martin got their money without doing anything. He denied that Quimby ever told him that Muma had influence in Washington and that they had influence with the Attorney General.

An auditor's statement was presented, showing that the entire profits, outside of New York, was \$34,000. This contradicted Quimby's statement that the profits were \$125,000.

The committee turned to verifying the testimony of G. O. Holdridge, a department of justice agent.

RIO GIRLS DESERT BEACHES RATHER THAN WEAR SKIRTS

RIO DE JANEIRO—Owing to a sudden burst of modesty on the part of the police, the thousands who enjoy the splendid surf bathing on this city's beautiful beaches have been submitted to new and severe regulations. The new rules are especially irksome to those youths and maidens who feel that they have no reason to complain of nature's handiwork.

A considerable number of bathers have been rudely yanked from the beaches because they tried to get by with "one piece" bathing suits. In addition to paying fines, they were obliged to promise to wear them below the knee hereafter.

The frequenters of one fashionable beach were indignant at the new restrictions, and planned a unique protest. They agreed to go for their morning plunge on a certain day, the men being dressed in frock coats and high silk hats and the women in their demurest day dresses. This scheme was accompanied by a campaign of publicity.

The police checked this move also, prohibiting the demonstration. The organizers of the protest then sought a court injunction against the police to enable them to bathe in their silk hats and everything if they wanted to. The court ruled, however, that the police were within their rights because the purpose of the protest was to ridicule established authority.

As a result of the dispute, the sea waves now wash Rio's beautiful beaches in lonesome majesty.

CARD OF THANKS

I take this opportunity to thank all my friends who have helped me in my trouble. Their kindness shall never be forgotten.

Gratefully Ellen Simpson.

Do you remember

SIR HARRY LAUDER singing

"DIXIE GIRLS ARE GOOD ENOUGH FOR ME?"

It will no longer have to be a memory, for you can get his Victor record of it tomorrow.

Record Number 55,221

On the other side he sings

"OHIO"

Also the regular Friday list of records will be on sale.



McGEHEE FURNITURE CO.

GROUP ONE BANKERS MEET IN SHEFFIELD EARLY NEXT MONTH

Local Bankers Advised of Conference Date by Letter Today

SHEFFIELD MAN IS CHAIRMAN

Interesting Program Is Arranged for Visitors at Meeting

An exodus of local bankers will occur Monday, April 7, when the four banks of the Twin Cities will send representatives to Sheffield to attend the annual spring gathering of group No. 1 of the Alabama Bankers' Association.

T. C. Sanford, vice president of the Sheffield National bank, and chairman of group No. 1, has informed local bankers of the Sheffield meeting and sent an outline of the program to F. A. Bloodworth and other bankers of the Twin Cities.

Other spring meeting of state bankers, members of the state bank association are to be held as follows: Group No. 2, H. H. Montgomery, chairman, meeting to be held in Anniston April 10; Group No. 3 meeting, Henry M. Hobbie, chairman, meeting in Montgomery, April 11; and group No. 4, S. H. Andrews, chairman, meeting to be held in Mobile April 12.

Counties in Group 1

The counties in group one are in North Alabama and are as follows: Marion, Franklin Colbert, Lauderdale, Winston, Lawrence, Limestone, Cullman, Morgan, Madison, Marshall, DeKalb and Jackson.

Officials of the Alabama Bankers' association in a letter sent out by Henry T. Bartlett, secretary urge that all banks in group 1 be represented at Sheffield April 7. Mr. Bartlett points out that not only bank officials but directors of banks are eligible to represent their officers at the meeting.

The letter received from Mr. Sanford from Sheffield is as follows:

The annual meeting of group one of the Alabama Bankers Association will be held Wednesday April 9th, 1924, in Sheffield. A program of much interest has been arranged and it is hoped that every bank in the group will be represented.

The first session of the meeting will be held at two thirty o'clock p. m. to last about an hour, after which visitors will be given an opportunity to visit places of interest in the vicinity. Trains from the East, West, and South reach Sheffield about one o'clock p. m.

At six thirty p. m. the bankers will be guests at a banquet, which will have many entertaining features. We are assured of the presence of a number of prominent speakers with a variety of subjects worthy of our attention and consideration.

Please advise me as soon as possible as to the number of representatives your institution will send, in order that proper arrangements for their entertainment may be made.

It is my earnest desire that the meeting of group one be a success from every standpoint, and I therefore sincerely hope that your bank will be represented.

Very Respectfully,

T. C. Sanford

Vice President, group one Alabama Bankers Association.

Herman L. Turner, Rotary Governor

Rev. Herman L. Turner, pastor of the Columbia avenue Presbyterian church of Sheffield, and a former resident of Albany, was nominated district governor by members of the Rotary club, meeting in Tuscaloosa yesterday. Rev. Turner will be formally elected at the international convention to be held in Toronto in June.

Rev. Turner was admitted to the ministry here and has a host of friends in the Twin Cities.

Injunction Case Is Heard in Court

Following a hearing this morning in the injunction proceedings brought by the Decatur Cotton Compress company to prevent the erection of a baseball fence on the park recently opened up on a site north of West Moulton street, before Judge Osceola Kyle, decision was reached to continue the hearing this afternoon. The afternoon hearing is to be in the court room of the Morgan county court house as was the forenoon hearing.

Attorney A. J. Harris represents the Compress company and Col. Tennis Tidwell are W. W. Callahan are representing B. L. Malone.

WILL HAM AND WIFE ARE BOUND OVER

(Limestone Democrat)
The preliminary trial of Will Ham and his wife, Cora Ham, charged with the murder of Leonard Dildine on Sugar Creek last week, was held before Judge J. E. Clem Monday morning. The hearing continuing into the afternoon, and at its conclusion the defendants were held without bail to await the action of the grand jury, which meets next Monday. A large amount of testimony was introduced, some of the witnesses testifying that they saw both Ham and his wife fire a pistol at the buggy in which Dildine and a young man named Page were riding. A large number of witnesses and neighbors of the parties involved in the killing were present to attend the trial.

French Army to Have 673,827

PARIS—The total effectives of the French metropolitan and colonial troops are fixed for March 1, 1924, will be 673,827 men, according to Minister of War Maginot. These figures he said, are the minimum to which the French army can be reduced and still provide adequate protection for France.

The amount placed in the budget for 1924 for the sustenance and equipment of these troops is 1,312,000,000 francs.

Duties

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HOW DOCTORS TREAT COLDS AND THE FLU

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GREENLAND TO HAVE RADIO

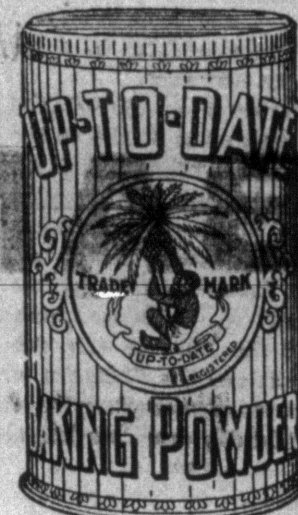
COPENHAGEN—The government has signed a contract with a Danish firm to supply four radio stations to be erected in Greenland during the coming spring. It is stated that the government's action has been greatly appreciated in international shipping and meteorological circles.

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By order of

JAS. H. JOHNSON, E. C.

COMPANIONS

Decatur Chapter No. 38 will meet Friday evening at 7 o'clock instead of 7:30 as announced on the cards, for work in the P. and M. E. and R. A. M. degrees.

You are hereby urgently requested to attend. By order of

C. L. SAUNDERS, H. P.

Republican Contest Will Be Feature of Nebraska Primaries

(Associated Press)
OMAHA, Neb., March 20—A clear-cut state presidential preferential contest between President Calvin Coolidge and United States Senator Hiram W. Johnson has developed in this state during the last two months and the issue will be decided, probably without the injection of other candidates, in

the primary here on April 8. Supporters of each have been at work for some time and both sides express confidence in the outcome.
The democratic contest for presidential preference, however, is somewhat clouded. The contestants have up until a few days before the primary in which to file as candidates. William G. McAdoo wired Governor Charles Bryan that he would not contest this state with Bryan, who was at that time mentioned as a presidential possibility. However, since then Governor Bryan has announced he

would be a candidate for renomination as governor and would not enter the presidential lists. No other democratic candidates have put in an appearance thus far.
After saying for some time that he would not be a candidate to succeed himself, Senator George W. Norris has finally come out for renomination and it now looks as though this contest may be confined to the senator, former congressman Charles H. Sloan, whose platform indicates he is an administration man, and Lieutenant Governor Frew Johnson of Hastings. Sloan has come out for virtually all of the leading Coolidge policies, except that he promises support of the soldiers' bonus. On the democratic side Tremnor Cone, a business man of Valley, Neb., is the only candidate for U. S. Senator that has thus far filed.

Three candidates are in the field for the republican gubernatorial nomination while Governor Bryan is the only democratic candidate to file to date. The republican candidates are C. H. Gustafson, of Lincoln; A. N. Mathers, of Gering; and Adam McMullen, of Beatrice. Gustafson was formerly connected with the Farmers' Union and at one time president of the United States Grain Growers, Inc. McMullen was a candidate at the last gubernatorial primary and was only beaten by the republican nominee, Charles Randall of Randolph, by about 500 votes in one of the closest and most sensational contests Nebraska ever experienced.

Tourists Trains Headed This Way

A. H. Hoff, cashier of the Morgan County national bank, is in receipt of a letter from William Harvey, a former resident, but now in Jackson, Michigan, in which it is explained that regular tourist trains are now being sent out of Detroit and other large northern cities to Muscle Shoals similar to those made up here, for Southern Texas.
Mr. Hoff believes that northern tourists bound for the Shoals should not overlook "The upper Muscle Shoals cities" of Albany and Decatur, and has advised W. W. Rahm, president of the chamber of commerce that day and night signs should appear above Columbia on the Louisville and Nashville railroad directing tourists to "the upper Muscle Shoals cities."

Mrs. J. A. Pettus Called by Death

Mrs. J. A. Pettus, widely beloved Athens woman, died at her home there Wednesday, following a long illness. Funeral services will be held today in Athens. The deceased was a sister of Dr. O. B. Cartwright and P. E. Cartwright of Decatur.

PREHISTORIC SKELETON FOUND IN SIDE OF CLIFF

LEWISTON—A huge skeleton, believed to be that of a prehistoric human being, has been discovered in the Salmon river country, south of here, by two members of the state highway department who have brought their find to this city. The lower jaw and vertebra will be sent to the Smithsonian Institution at Washington, D. C., for analysis as to the probable date of existence.

The bones were found in the side of a cliff at a depth estimated to be 50 feet. Nearly the entire skeleton was recovered, the excavators proceeding with more care after determining that the find might prove to be of scientific value.

Measuring more than eight feet in height and possessing numerous strange features, the skeleton has aroused widespread interest. Three physicians who examined it pronounced it to be that of a woman.

Belief that the person was of a herbivorous race has been expressed, owing to the peculiar formation of the jaws and teeth. Both the upper and lower jaws have only 10 teeth each and all are intact.

Avoid Narrow Ledge.
So close does falsehood approach to truth that the wise man would do well not to trust himself on the narrow ledge.

This Date in History

MARCH 20

The British Government's military activity in Ulster, to coerce the opposition to Home Rule, caused the resignation of many officers of regiments in Ireland on March 20, 1914. This was caused by the order issued by the government to the troops to protect certain points in Ulster, General Gough and a number of officers under him had demanded, before being sent to Ireland, assurance that they would not be called upon to undertake anything more than the maintenance of order and the protection of property. They were assured that this was all that would be expected of them, so now they felt that they could not hold their positions and absolutely refuse to obey governmental commands.

Mrs. Wm. Washington, 107 Louise Ave., Nashville, Tenn., says: "There is positively no woman on earth that would be without 'Mother's Friend' during expectancy if she only knew the value of comfort."

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CHILD DIES

Funeral services will be held Friday morning at 10 o'clock for Doris Breachear, three year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Q. Beachear, who died Wednesday at the home of the parents here. Services will be conducted from the First Baptist church, Albany, by Rev. S. D. Monroe, the pastor. Mr. and Mrs. Breachear have the sympathy of a large circle of friends in their bereavement.

ROBBER GANG OPENS STORE TO SELL STOLEN JEWELS

BERLIN—Ingenious thieves ran sacked the palatial home of Baron von Plessen in Berlin recently, and so successful was their one night's work that a dummy jewelry store was opened a few days afterward to aid in disposing of the stolen goods to a few selected customers. Among the precious stones obtained by the robbers was a 250 carat aquamarine, said to be one of the most valuable in all Europe. The stone came originally from Russia, and at various times has been in possession of European royal families.

The plans to rob this dwelling were carefully laid, detectives say, and the gang consisted of 18 or 20 men and three or four women. They planned the job for months. Confederates posing as servants were installed in the house, and the leader of the robbers knew the habits of every member of the family; in what bank each person kept his account, where their jewels were locked, and other intimate details.

Besides the aquamarine, the stolen goods consisted of precious stones, gold and silver serving sets, much jewelry, furs and bits of antique ivory pieces, china, glassware, and other valuable household and personal effects. Several members of the gang posed as jewelers after the theft and rented an office in a downtown building where prospective customers were taken privately to view the goods for sale. Among the prospective buyers was Prince Konrad, of Bavaria, who became suspicious of the jewelry shop and the actions of the supposed proprietors. He reported his suspicions to the police with the result that most of the gang was arrested, and much of the stolen property recovered.

ORIGINATOR OF DRINK MOURNED

BERLIN—Newspapers have given much space in tribute to Peter Heering, who died recently at Copenhagen, aged 86 years. He is credited with originating cherry brandy, a popular drink in Germany. Several writers to newspapers have suggested the erection of a monument to his memory.

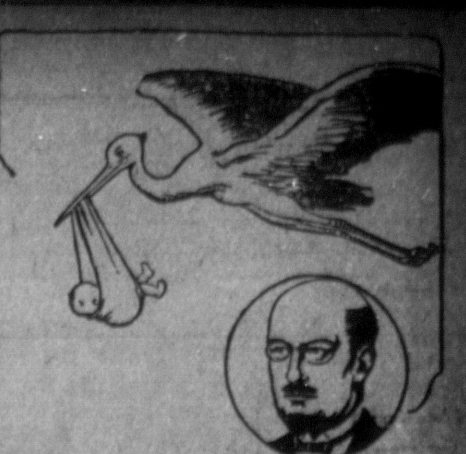
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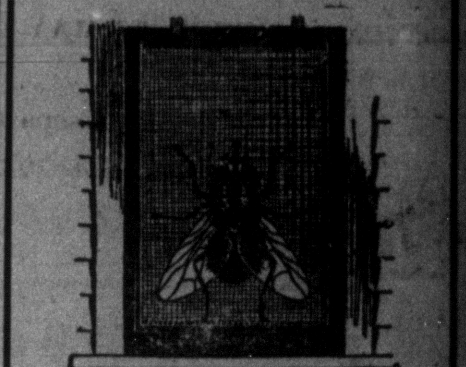
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The Canada Life is one of the oldest life insurance companies on the continent, having over 94 million dollars assets, over 400 million dollars insurance in force. The steady progress always enjoyed by the company is due to its progressiveness, together with an enviable reputation for fair dealing in every respect.

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FROM THE ANNUAL REPORT, 10th JANUARY, 1924

ASSETS		LIABILITIES	
Government Bonds	\$18,557,439.05	Reserve Fund	\$80,696,036.00
Municipal and other Bonds		Instalment Claims Reserve	624,958.00
Stocks and Debentures	17,913,788.17	Contingent Reserve	500,000.00
Mortgages on Real Estate	32,218,929.91	Claims in course of settlement	698,210.03
Loans on Policies	13,246,551.21	Surrender Values on Policies which may be Received	2,545.41
Real Estate (including Company's buildings)	5,373,338.27	Dividends to Policyholders in course of Payment	214,290.65
Loans on Stocks and Bonds, etc.	1,100,000.00	Dividends Allotted to Deferred Dividend Policies issued on and after 1st January, 1911	780,645.00
Premiums in Transit and Deferred	2,404,795.53	Other Liabilities	1,555,374.10
Interests and Rents Due and Accrued	3,006,248.75	Surplus on Policyholders' Acct.	9,176,901.79
Cash in Banks and on hand	427,870.09		
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SOCIAL CALENDAR

Thursday Club. Mrs. H. H. May.
Thursday Bridge Club. Mrs. Allen.

FRIDAY

Friday Thirteen, Mrs. J. Smiley.
Canal Street Rook Club. Mrs. Emmett Himes.
Social Service Class will be entertained by Mrs. Virginia Graham and Mrs. J. B. Schimmel at the Schimmel home.

SOCIAL AT TRINITY.

The Y. P. M. S. of Trinity invites its friends to attend its birthday party at the school house on Friday evening at 7:30 o'clock, the proceeds of the party to be used for pledges. They promise their guests an evening of fun.

JUNIOR MISSION MEETING.

The Junior Missionary society held a delightful meeting on Wednesday with Miss Josephine Ford at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Morris Ford, on Johnston street, with about twenty two present.

The regular mission study program was given after which the members enjoyed a lovely social hour with the little hostess. At this time, Misses Mary Kate Troup and Jean Humphrey rendered several numbers on the piano. Misses Elizabeth Ann Hutson, Gwendolyn Reams, and Mary Elizabeth George gave readings and Miss Julia Dent Woodard sang a group of songs.

MUSIC STUDY CLUB ELECT OFFICERS.

A splendid representation of the Music Study Club was present at the meeting held on Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. E. D. Whitman.

This was the day set for the election of officers and the following is a list of those elected: president, Mrs. H. O. Troup; first vice-president, Mrs. F. F. Tidwell; second vice-president, Mrs. Harry Wyatt; third vice president, Mrs. Herbert Hughes; recording secretary, Mrs. L. A. Hobart; corresponding secretary, Mrs. E. E. Graves; treasurer, Mrs. Otto Moebes. The same program committee was retained with one more member to be elected at the next meeting.

It was voted that the president of the club, Mrs. J. B. Troup would appoint the delegates to the Alabama Federated Music Study Club Convention to be held in the near future in Birmingham.

Mrs. A. H. Hoff and children and her mother, Mrs. Henkel will leave today for a weeks visit to Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Henkel in Birmingham. They will be joined by Mr. Hoff for the weekend.

Mrs. Cliff Penney who has been quite ill for the past two weeks, at her home on West Moulton street, is improving.

MEETING POSTPONED.

The meeting of the Canal Street Rook Club to have been held on Friday afternoon has been postponed.

Mrs. C. W. Williams continues to suffer with a severely sprained ankle at her home in West Albany.

BIRTHDAY PARTY.

At the residence of Mrs. Clawson Bodry on Twelfth avenue West Albany on Wednesday evening, her daughter, Miss Annie Pearl and Mr. Gene Flate shared honors at a birthday party, their ages being sixteen and seventeen, respectively.

They had decorations of the season's flowers and later cake and ambrosia were served, Mrs. Bodry being assisted by Mrs. R. L. Woods and Mrs. Flate.

A number of beautiful gifts were received by the guests of honor. About nineteen enjoyed this hospitality.

Mrs. Mary Webb, of Huntsville, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Cliff Penney.

Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Patterson are at home with Mr. and Mrs. William Moseley, Jr., on Oak street.

Mrs. P. E. Kimbrough of Hartselle was the guest of Miss Unity Dancy on Wednesday.

Mrs. W. C. Sheppard left on Wednesday afternoon for her home in Columbia, Tenn., after an extended visit to her daughter, Mrs. W. R. Shelton and her son, R. T. Sheppard and Mrs. Sheppard.

Mrs. E. M. McNeese is spending this weekend in Birmingham.

W. C. T. U.

There will be an important meeting of the W. C. T. U. on Friday at 3 p. m. at the Y. M. C. A. A full attendance is requested.

Miss Evelyn Davidson left today for Nashville, where she will enter Peabody College.

MARRIED LADIES BRIDGE CLUB.

Mrs. B. Crawford was hostess to the Married Ladies Bridge Club on Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. W. E. Crawford was the only guest besides the members of the club.

At the bridge game, Mrs. C. B. Elliott made top score and received the club trophy.

Mrs. W. B. Smith has returned to her home in Birmingham after visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Cortner.

Mrs. D. S. Echols is spending the day in Birmingham.

Miss Margery Raney is in Athens, where she is directing the play, Mr. and Mrs. Polytick.

Mrs. George Wallace is spending today shopping in Birmingham.

FRANCE HOPES TO WIN SOME OLYMPIC BOXING CONTESTS

PARIS—As a result of elimination tournaments that have been held throughout France since January 1, members of the French Olympic committee are optimistic regarding France's chances in winning points in the Olympic boxing events. The finals from which the Olympic team will be chosen will take place in Paris, March 22, when the men selected from the provinces will meet the best the capital is able to put forward.

The three most promising boxers developed during the elimination tournaments are Jules Savignac, of Charleville, a lightweight; Biard, a flyweight, and Henry Raymond, a featherweight. To reach the finals Savignac won 11 bouts all of them by knockout. The Olympic regulation of two two-minute rounds has been followed in the elimination tournaments.

Mah Jongg 3,000 Years Old.
The Chinese game, Mah Jongg, which has taken America by storm and which is being played in London, Paris and other world centers, was invented 3,000 years ago by a Chinese fisherman, who whiled away the time during storms playing the game with his employees.

To a Hair.
Patron—"I want the part exactly in the middle." Barber—"Yes, sir! Yes, sir! And where, sir, would you have me place the one hair that's left over?"

The Best Fruit.
The worthiest people are often the most injured by slander, as we usually find that it was the best fruit which the birds have been pecking at.

PERSONALS

Little Frank Murray Campbell is recuperating from an attack of measles.

Modie Hough, was operated on Wednesday at the Benevolent hospital for appendicitis and is reported doing nicely.

W. A. Blackmon who has been a resident on Twelfth avenue West for a number of years moved on Wednesday to Seventh avenue West.

Preston Thompson who has been in Birmingham for some time, returned home on Tuesday.

Rufus Crow, a well known citizen of Austinville, was recently taken to a Birmingham hospital to undergo an operation.

W. B. Markstein went to Sheffield today.

H. G. Hill, Jr., of Nashville, of the H. G. Hill grocery company, was here today.

The friends of F. P. Lide will be glad to learn that he is recovering rapidly from illness, which has confined him to his home for several days.

Mongolian, Scientist Says, Was Ancestor of American Indian

SANTA BARBARA—That the American Indians had an ancestry common with the Mongolian tribes of Siberia and crossed to Alaska over the Bering Sea are conclusions of John P. Harrington, of the Smithsonian Institution.

Mr. Harrington arrived at this belief after extensive research on the Pacific Coast. He fixes the discovery of America by the Indian at more than 20,000 years ago. Explaining his belief that the Indians went directly to Alaska across the Bering Sea, instead of over the chain of Aleutian islands at a time when the islands may have been an isthmus connecting the two continents, he says:

"From a long strip of Siberian coast the Alaskan shore is in plain sight across Bering Strait, which at one point is only 50 miles in width. The two small Diomed islands also help to break the passage. This strip of water at times is frozen over and could have been crossed either on the ice or in boats which were made by the Indians even at the earliest times."

Mr. Harrington discounts the theory advanced by some anthropologists that the Indians migrated from the Polynesian islands.

"From my studies of the Indian races of the Pacific Coast I believe that the Indians, after crossing from Alaska down the Pacific Coast and thence over all North and South America. This is based on the singularity of physical characteristics, the widespread occurrence of customs and myths and an exhaustive study of the languages."

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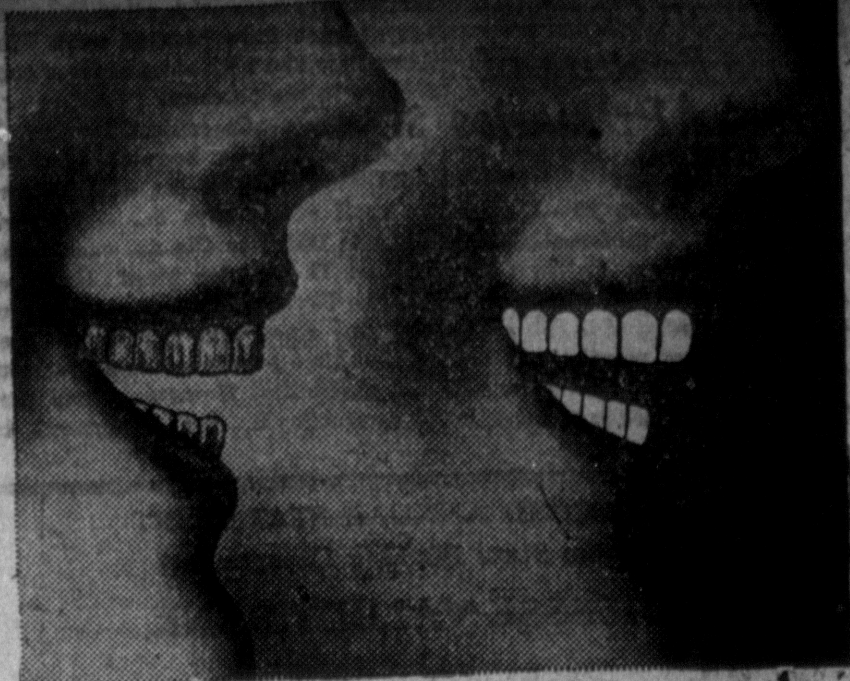
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FREAK HIT BROKE THE ICE
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TSINGTAO—Winter baseball may not be in order in the United States, baseball's home, but in its transplanted existence here the game is played in all sorts of weather and at all seasons. These facts are responsible for one of the most remarkable freak plays to be found in any fan's score-book.

Two teams of Japanese were so eager to settle their differences on the diamond that they played a contest recently with the temperature a 22. A rainfall had left a miniature pond where the pitcher's box ought to be. This the cold had turned into an icy sea so smooth the players could not stand on it and the pitchers were moved up near the home plate.

A wind and this reduction of the standard distance enabled the pitchers to hold the batters at their mercy until the last half of the ninth inning. Then somehow the catcher of the home team managed to connect with the ball. It soared skyward, just over the plate. The wind blew it over the infield and there, as it descended, batters and infielders circled vaguely trying to get under it. Nobody did and the sphere finally landed squarely in the middle of the ice, broke through and was lost to view. The frenzied players smashed up the ice, searching for the ball, while the runner headed for third base.

The pitcher finally fished it out and hurled it toward the shortstop who, with the runner, was nearing third. The ball struck the shortstop squarely in the head and rendered him senseless. The runner continued his journey and scored the only tally.

TURKEY NEEDS FOREIGN EXPORTS

CONSTANTINOPLE—Messages received here from Angora set forth that the Turkish government has decided to engage a number of foreign specialists to work with the various ministerial departments. A sum of money to meet the expense involved appears in the 1924 budget. It is said that more than 30 such posts will be filled by foreigners.

Cruelty.
Cruelty, like every other vice, requires no motive outside of itself; it only requires opportunity. —George Eliot.

HER PROBLEMS

By Annette Bradshaw



WITH SPRING COMES THE DIRECTOIRE INFLUENCE TO HEAD FASHIONS

WINIFRED—Fashions in millinery are getting restive, Mabel. I knew it the minute I laid eyes on this fascinating Directoire model. Of course, I bought it because I knew it was one of the first breaks from the prevailing mode. Nobody knows where styles are going, but I'm sure that the Directoire is a way-station.

Underwood Loses Georgia to McAdoo

(Continued From Page One)

ity, according to incoming incomplete returns, and took Chatham, the home of Senator Underwood's state campaign manager. The former Secretary recently spoke in these four cities.

Three For Underwood.
Senator Underwood carried Baldwin County, where McAdoo spent his boyhood at Milledgeville. Muscogee in which Columbus is located, also went for the Alabamian. Twiggs county, which held a primary some time ago and declared for Underwood again registered their choice for him yesterday.

Shortly before 10 o'clock last night, complete returns to newspapers showed McAdoo had 216 votes in the democratic convention, nine more than the majority necessary to election of a Georgian delegation to the party convention in New York.

In addition, McAdoo had 76 unit votes more in counties where he was leading Underwood by majorities.

At the same compilation Underwood had 62 certain convention votes and 16 indicated.

McAdoo had carried 106 of the 160 counties in the state, and indications were that the number of counties in his column would increase as returns arrived.

One comparison of the popular vote was seen in Fulton of which Atlanta is the county seat, where in 28 out of 36 precincts McAdoo received 10,501 votes and Underwood 2,815.

The election assumed the proportions of a landslide for McAdoo from the first. Counties in the northern part of the state reported McAdoo early in the afternoon and they were followed by others from all sections of Georgia. The convention meets in Atlanta, April 23 to elect delegates to the national convention in New York city.

FRENCH FENCERS FEAR U. S. STUDENT IN OLYMPIC GAMES

PARIS—The fencing team will represent the United States in the forthcoming Olympic competition probably will include Allen B. Milner, at present one of the foremost fencers in France. He is the son of the American consul general at Niagara Falls, Ont., and is a post graduate student at the Academy of Medicine.

Milner began fencing in 1920 and was runner-up to Roger Ducret for the championship of France in 1922. Armand Massart, the Antwerp Olympic champion says the American has the quickest thrust of any man he has met during his 15 years' experience with the foils.

"He is a man whom I fear most on my way to a second Olympic victory," Massart said recently.

RADICAL PROFESSOR RESIGNS

TOKIO—Dr. Sakuzo Yoshino, internationally known as a leader of liberal thought in Japan, has resigned as professor of international law in the Tokio Imperial university to become editor of a magazine of advanced views. Dr. Yoshino is the most outspoken of the academic radicals of Japan.

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By Annette Bradshaw

EXCHANGE FLUCTUATIONS FEARED

LONDON—The government should take a hand in the present condition of the money exchange and enact legislation to prevent fluctuations, said Sir George Paish in an address before Birmingham manufacturers. He said that the exchange tended to hamper trade and unless arrested the fall of all or any one of the exchanges might involve political trouble.

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We have \$90,000,000 of assets. We have \$50,000,000 in model plants. We have 12,500 up-to-date machines. So Studebaker cars are built by modern and efficient methods.

We have an engineering department which costs \$500,000 yearly. That to maintain and develop Studebaker standards.

We subject Studebaker cars to 30,000 inspections. That requires 1,200 men. All told over 70,000 machine and hand operations are performed in manufacture of a Studebaker car. In so many operations, though each one is small, there is a

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We give unusual equipment. On some Big-Six models, for instance, we include two nickel-plated bumpers, one or two extra disc wheels with cord tires, a courtesy light, a motometer, steel trunk, etc.

How we do this

We give you these extra values through quantity production. We build 150,000 cars per year — more than any other fine-car builder. Our large expenses are divided by that enormous output.

We do it by building our own bodies, our own parts. Thus we save outside profits.

We do it because we have up-to-date plants, with all forms of modern equipment.

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Prices far below the usual. Our Light-Six, built by ordinary methods, would sell for from \$200 to \$400 more. Our Big-Six can be compared only with the highest-priced cars in the world.

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Touring	\$1425
Roadster (2-Pass.)	1400
Coupe (5-Pass.)	1895
Sedan	1985

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